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Docket No. R97-1

CLARIFICATION CONCERNING AMMA/RIAA NOTIFICATION CONCERNING EXPECTED CROSS-EXAMINATION

On November 21, AMMA and RIAA filed their "Notification of Advertising Mail Marketing Association and Recording Industry Association of America Concerning Expected Cross-Examination" indicating the expectation of "light to moderate" examination of Witness Crum. The Postal Service has accurately characterized the terms of an understanding reached with AMMA with respect to interrogatories propounded to Witness Crum in its "Response To NDMS Motion To Compel Response To Interrogatories NDMS/USPS-T28-27-41 (November 21, 1997)." One feature of that understanding is that "it will not request cross-examination of Witness Crum in the absence of his appearing otherwise." We did not intend by our notification concerning Mr. Crum to assert our right to exam the witness. If the witness does appear, we request the opportunity to exam him and our notification was solely to preserve this option in the event of his appearance on the stand.

Respectfully submitted,



Ian D. Volner

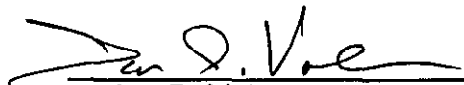
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have on this date served this document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the rules of practice.

DATE: November 25, 1997



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